

TOWN OF FREETOWN MASSACHUSETTS

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PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWN OF FREETOWN OFFICE OF THE TOWN CLERK ELECTIONS DEPARTMENT

TESTING OF VOTING EQUIPMENT

In accordance with the provisions of 950 CMR § 54.02, the Town Clerk will conduct the Public Testing of the Town's ImageCast Precinct voting equipment and ballots (for all precincts) for the April 3, 2023 Annual Town Election beginning on Thursday, March-23, 2023 at 10:00 AM and continuing until the task is completed.

There has been a change in voting equipment used by the Town of Freetown since the last election held on November 8, 2022.

As required per M.G.L. Ch.54, § 34, the Town of Freetown Board of Selectman have, at a duly posted meeting held on December 12, 2022, unanimously voted to approve to the <u>implementation and use of the ImageCast Precinct Tabulator</u> and to simultaneously <u>discontinue the use of the AccuVote Optical Scan Tabulator</u> effective at the April 3, 2023 Annual Local Town Election, and thereafter in all future local, State and Federal preliminaries, primaries and general elections held in the Town of Freetown.

As always, the testing is open to the public for observation and is available for viewing at the Freetown Town Hall, 3 North Main St., Assonet, MA.

Cheryl C.A. Estrella, CMC Town Clerk/Chief Election Official

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